

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Applicant: Ben Adler, *et al.*  
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Group Art Unit: 1645  
Examiner: Brian J. Gangle  
For: Novel Brachyspira hyodysenteriae vaccine  
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October 30, 2007

**RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

Box: AF  
Commissioner of Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313

Sir:

In reply to the Final Office Action issued July 16, 2007, please enter the amendments that follow:

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2.

**Remarks** begin on page 3.

**Petition for Extension of Time**

Applicants respectfully request a one month extension of time for filing this response. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fee(s) for such an extension to Deposit Account No. **02-2334**.